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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

RE: PCT/EP99/04580  
International Filing Date: July 2, 1999  
Priority Date Claimed: July 10, 1998  
Applicant: Urbath et al.  
Title: MIXTURE OF COLOPHONIUM RESIN AND WAX  
Applicants' Reference: H 3391 PCT/US

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Please enter the following amendments in the application after the application has been accorded a serial number and before the filing fee is calculated.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

At page 1 place the title in all capital letters; in the line following the title, enter

A1 --FIELD OF THE INVENTION--; and after line 3 enter --BACKGROUND OF THE  
A2 INVENTION--.

At page 2 after line 2, enter --BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION--; and

A3 after line 19, enter --DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION--.

**IN THE ABSTRACT**

Applicants herewith submit an ABSTRACT on a separate sheet renumbered 21 for inclusion in the application.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

At page 19, delete "CLAIMS" and enter therefor --What is Claimed is:--.

Please enter the following amendments in the claims:

A5 1. (Amended) A mixture [of] comprising at least one member selected from the group consisting of rosin and [or] rosin derivative and at least one wax, [characterized